**Elections 2019**

**Upper Snake Cluster Representative**

Clergy - term expiring 2025

**North Central Cluster Representative**

Lay female term expiring 2025

**At Large**

Lay male term expiring 2025

**At Large**

Lay female term expiring 2025

**Vice President**

(4 year term - expiring 2023

**Youth Representative**

2 year term – expiring 2021

**Committee Elections – Six year terms expiring 2025 (no re-election)**

**Consultation** –

Lay female

Lay male

**Elections 2020**

**Synod Secretary**

4 year term expiring 2024

**Lower Columbia Basin Cluster Representative**

Lay male term expiring 2026

**North Idaho Cluster Representative**

Clergy to be elected term expiring 2026

**At Large Member**

Clergy to be elected term expiring 2026

**Committee Elections six year term expiring 2023 (no re-election)**

**Consultation**

Lay male

Clergy

**Discipline Committee**

2 Clergy needed

**Vice President**

**†S8.21.** The vice president shall be elected by the Synod Assembly. The vice president shall be a layperson. The vice president shall be a voting member of a congregation of this synod. The vice president shall not receive a salary for the performance of the duties of the office.

**S8.22.** The vice president shall chair the Synod Council.

**P8.22.A** Synod Vice-President to Churchwide Assembly The Synod Vice-President is an ex-officio voting member to the Churchwide Assembly. SC05.09.11

**S8.30. Secretary**

**†S8.31.** The secretary shall be elected by the Synod Assembly. The secretary shall be a voting member of a congregation of this synod. The secretary may be either a layperson or minister of Word and Sacrament.

**†S8.32.** The secretary shall:

a. Keep the minutes of all meetings of the Synod Assembly and Synod Council, be responsible for the printing and distribution of such minutes, and perform such other duties as this synod may from time to time direct.

b. Be authorized and empowered, in the name of this synod, to attest all instruments which require the same, and which are signed and sealed by the bishop.

c. In consultation with the bishop, classify and arrange all important papers and documents and deposit them in the archives of this synod.

d. Submit to the secretary of this church at least nine months before each regular Churchwide Assembly a certified list of the voting members elected by the Synod Assembly.

**The Consultation Committee** of this synod shall consist of at least six persons and not more than 12 persons, of whom half shall be ministers of Word and Sacrament and half shall be lay persons, who shall each be elected by the Synod Assembly for a term of six years without consecutive reelection. The functions of the Consultation Committee are set forth in Chapter 20 of the Constitution and Bylaws, and Continuing Resolutions of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America and in Chapter 17 of this constitution. The size of the Consultation Committee, in accord with this provision, shall be defined in this synod's bylaw.

**S11.02.01.** There shall be eight members of the Consultation Committee, four members shall be clergy, two shall be lay female, and two shall be lay male.

**†S11.03.** **The Committee on Discipline** of this synod shall consist of twelve persons of whom six shall be ministers of Word and Sacrament and six shall be lay persons, who shall each be elected by the Synod Assembly for a term of six years without consecutive reelection.

a. The functions of the Committee on Discipline of this synod are set forth in Chapter 20 of the Constitution, Bylaws, and Continuing Resolutions of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America.

b. The Synod Council shall fill vacancies on the Committee on Discipline for any unexpired term.